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Managing Water in the West

Idaho Water Supply Committee Meeting

Southwest Idaho Report
March 14, 2015

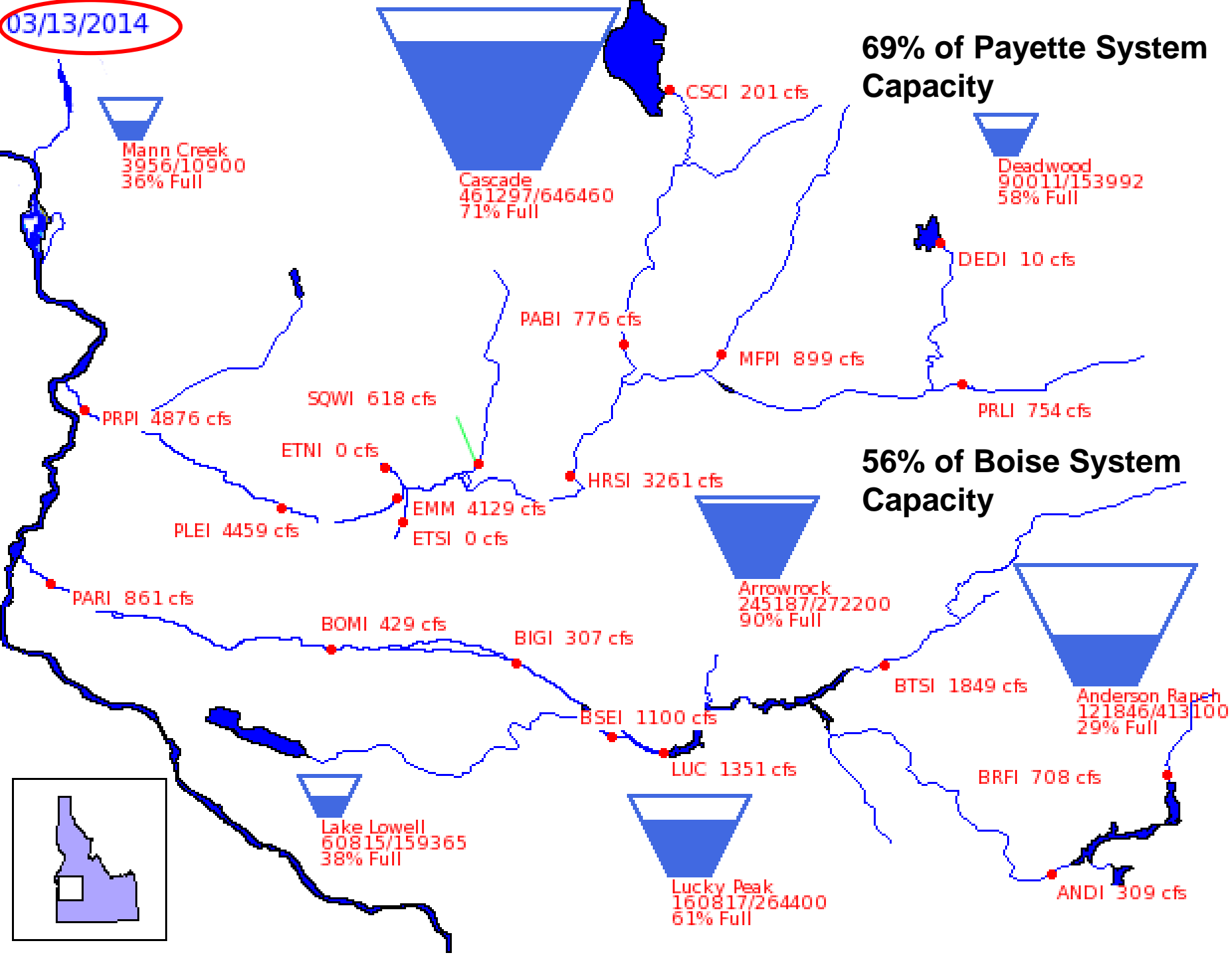


U.S. Department of the Interior
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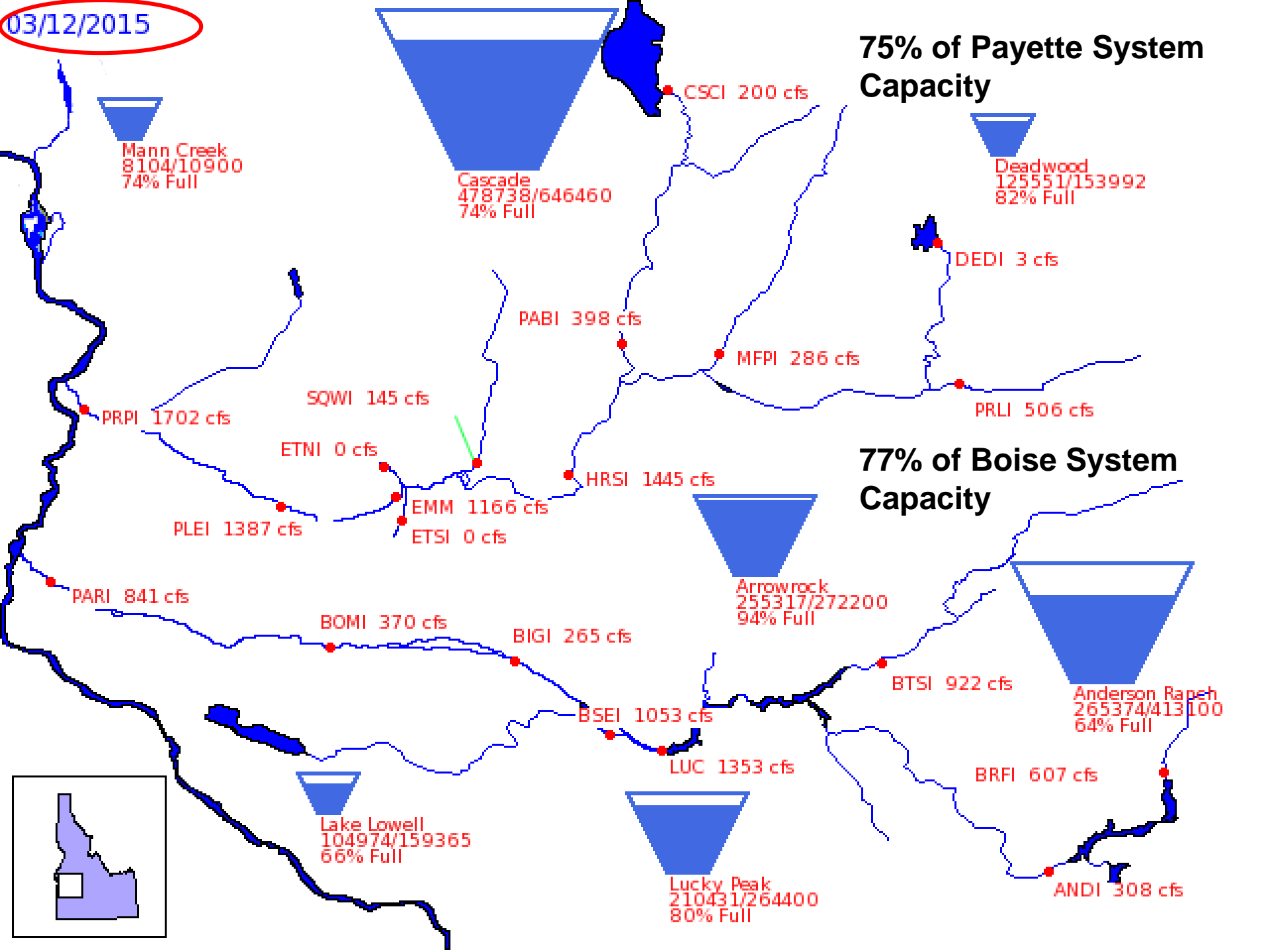


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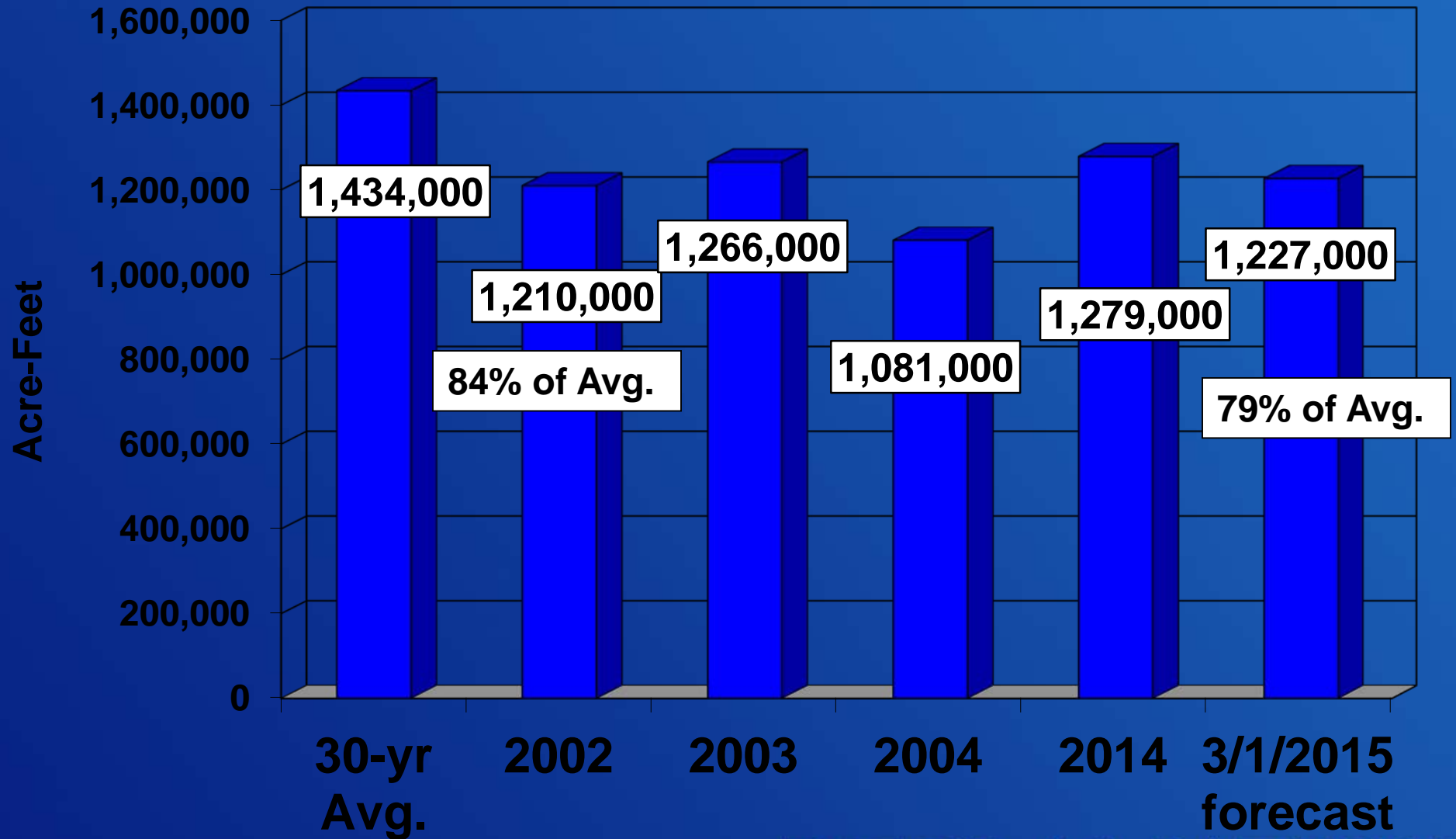


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Boise Basin Runoff

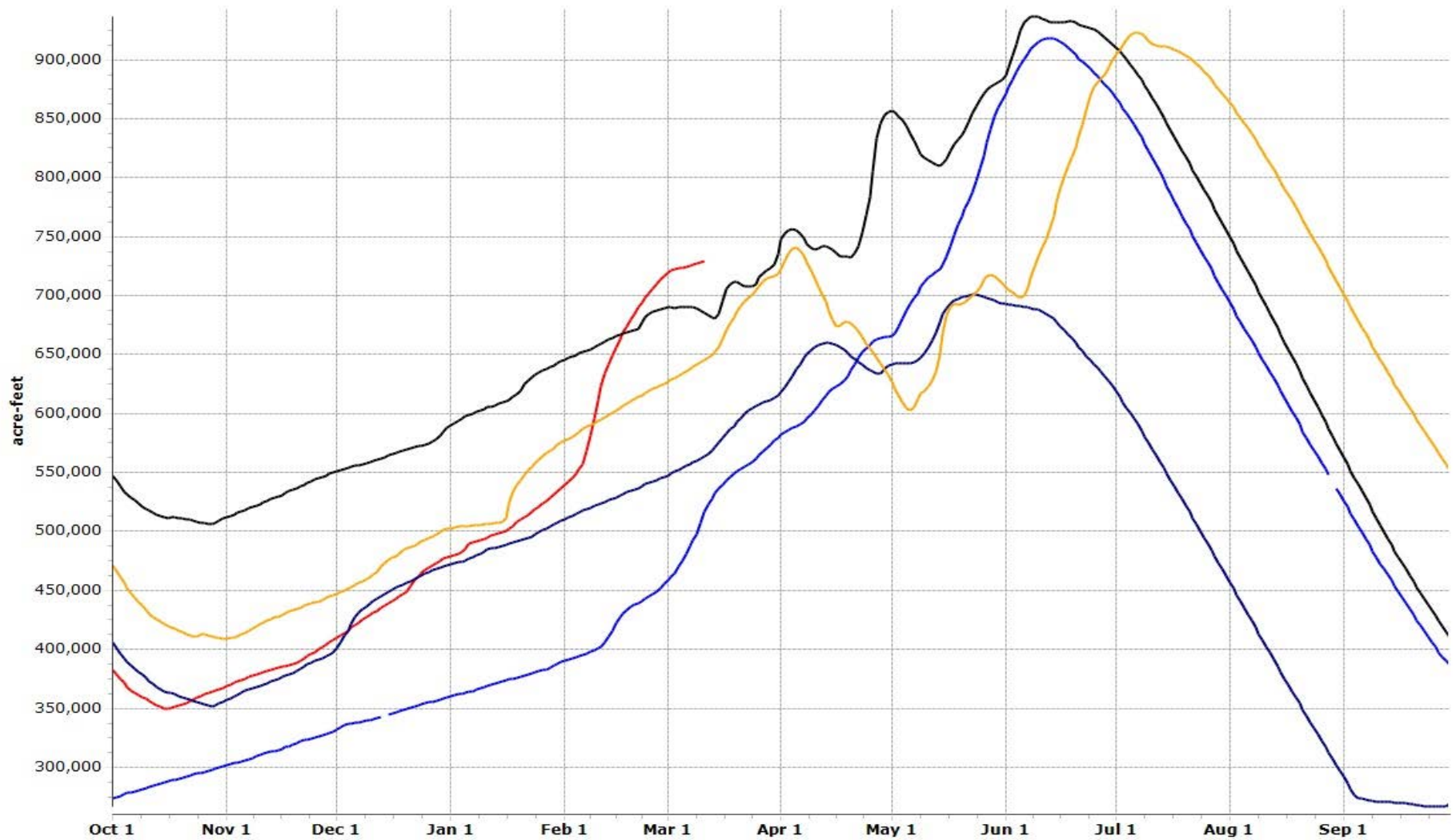
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Boise River Reservoir System Storage (capacity = 249,900 ac-ft)

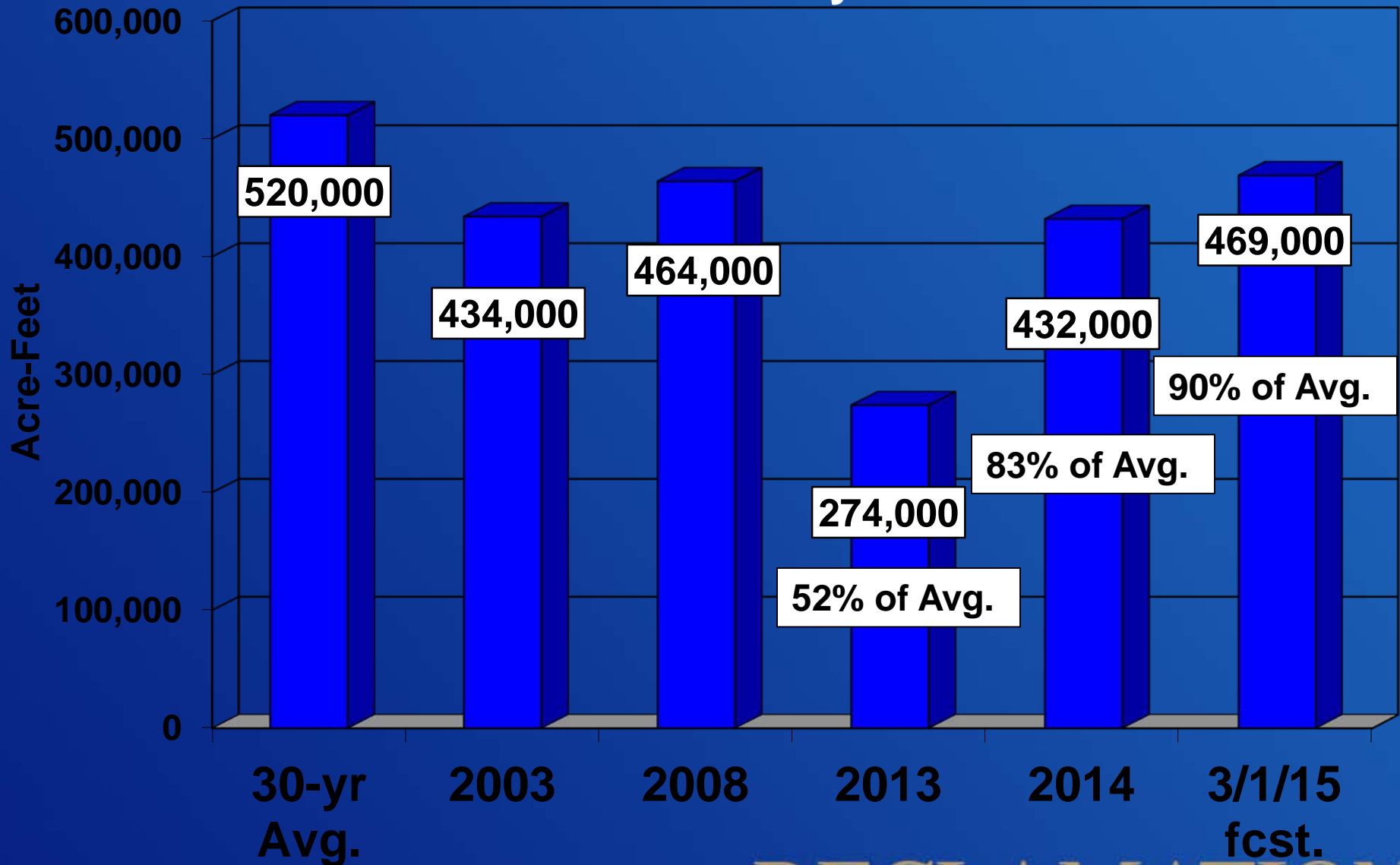
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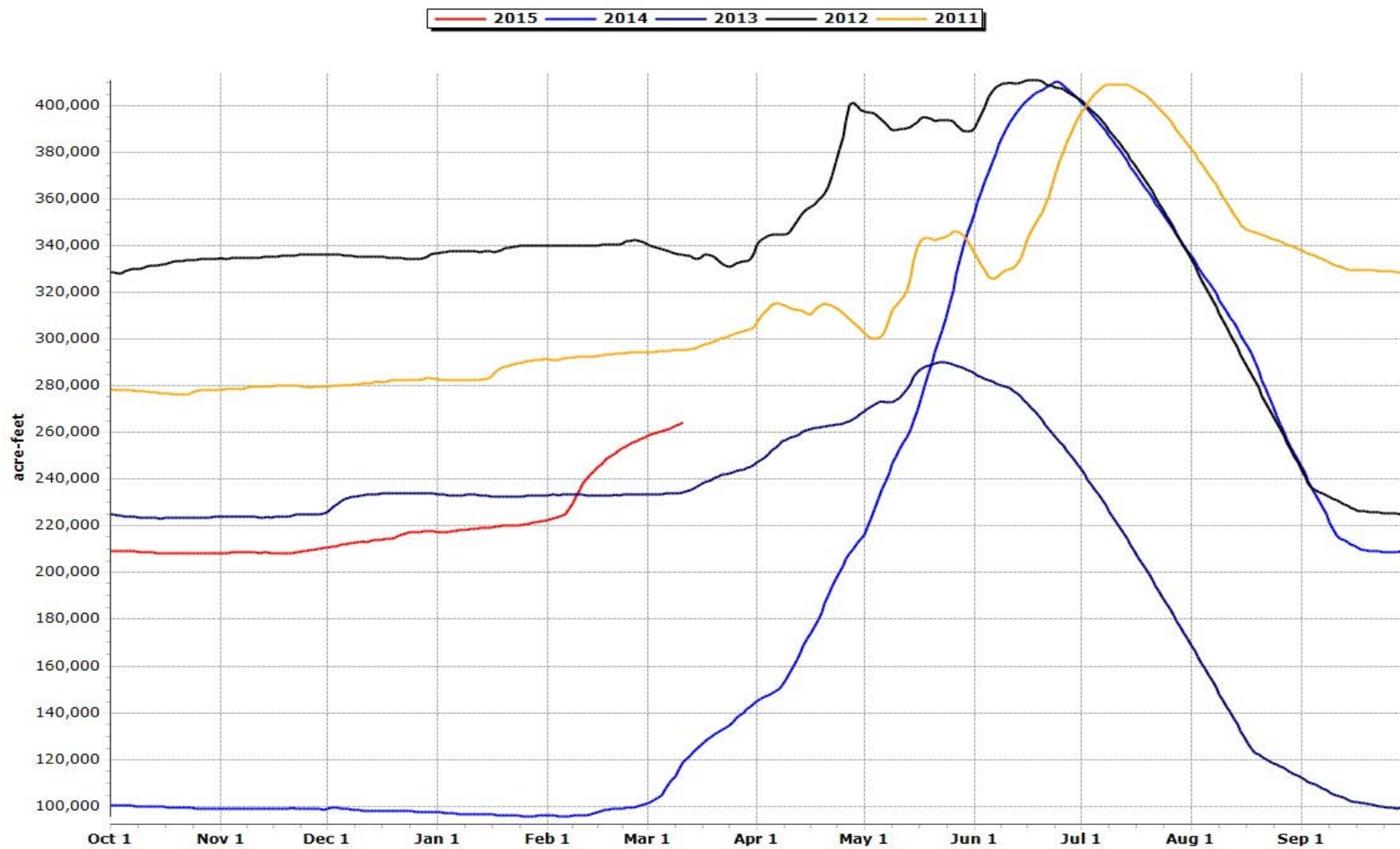
Anderson Ranch Reservoir Inflows

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Anderson Ranch Reservoir Storage (capacity = 413,000 ac-ft)



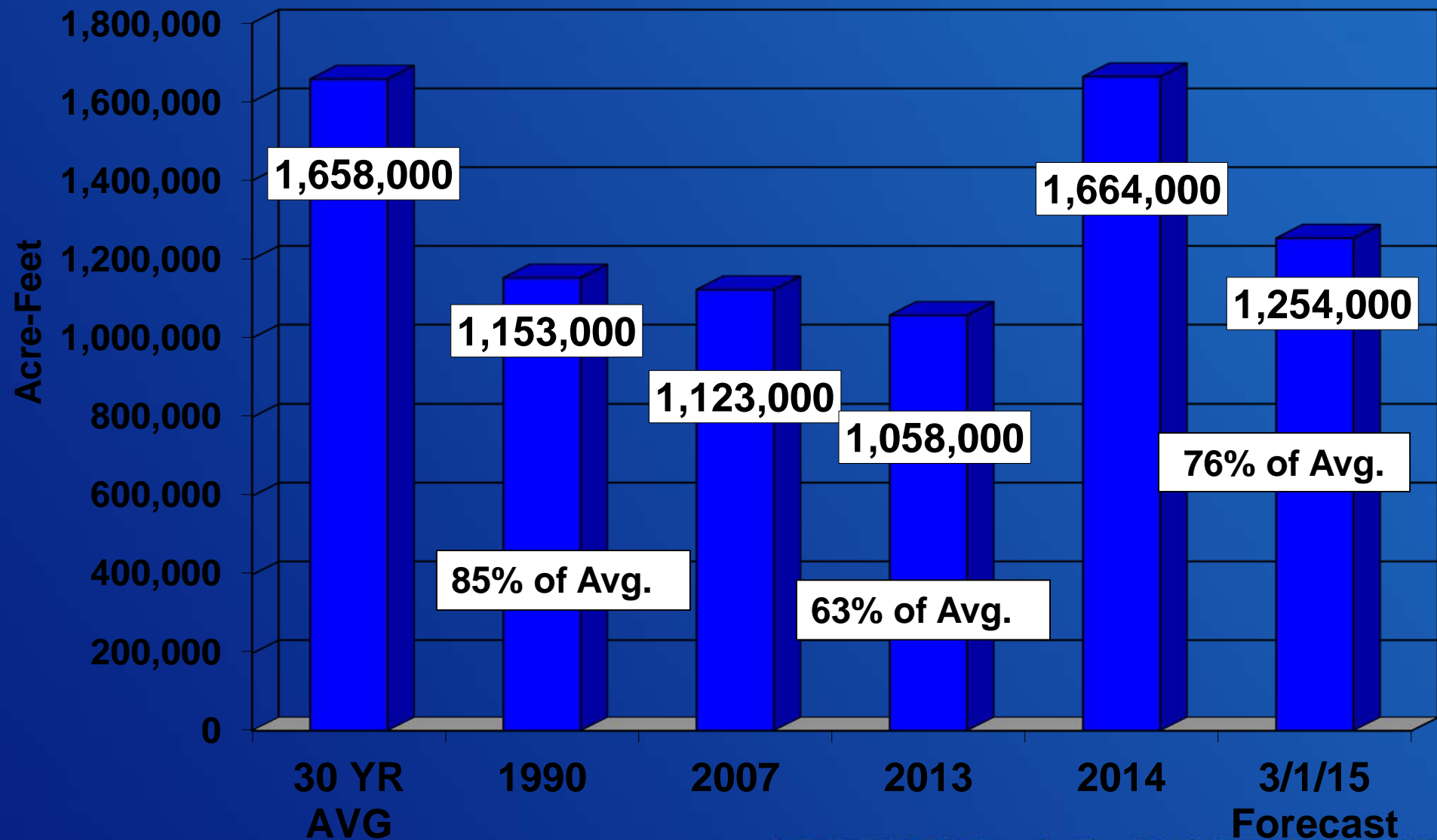
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Payette River Runoff at Horseshoe Bend

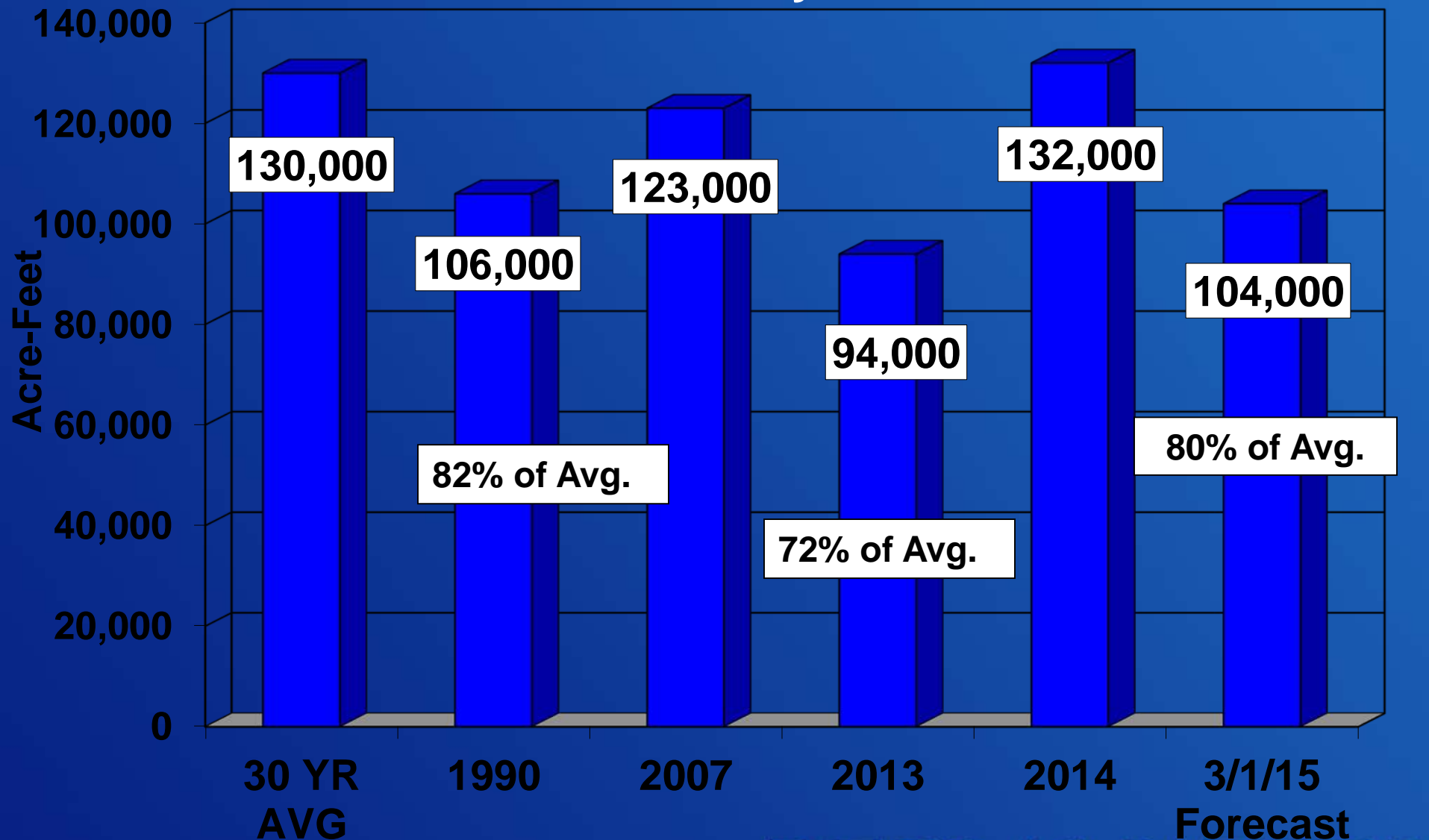
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Deadwood Reservoir Inflows

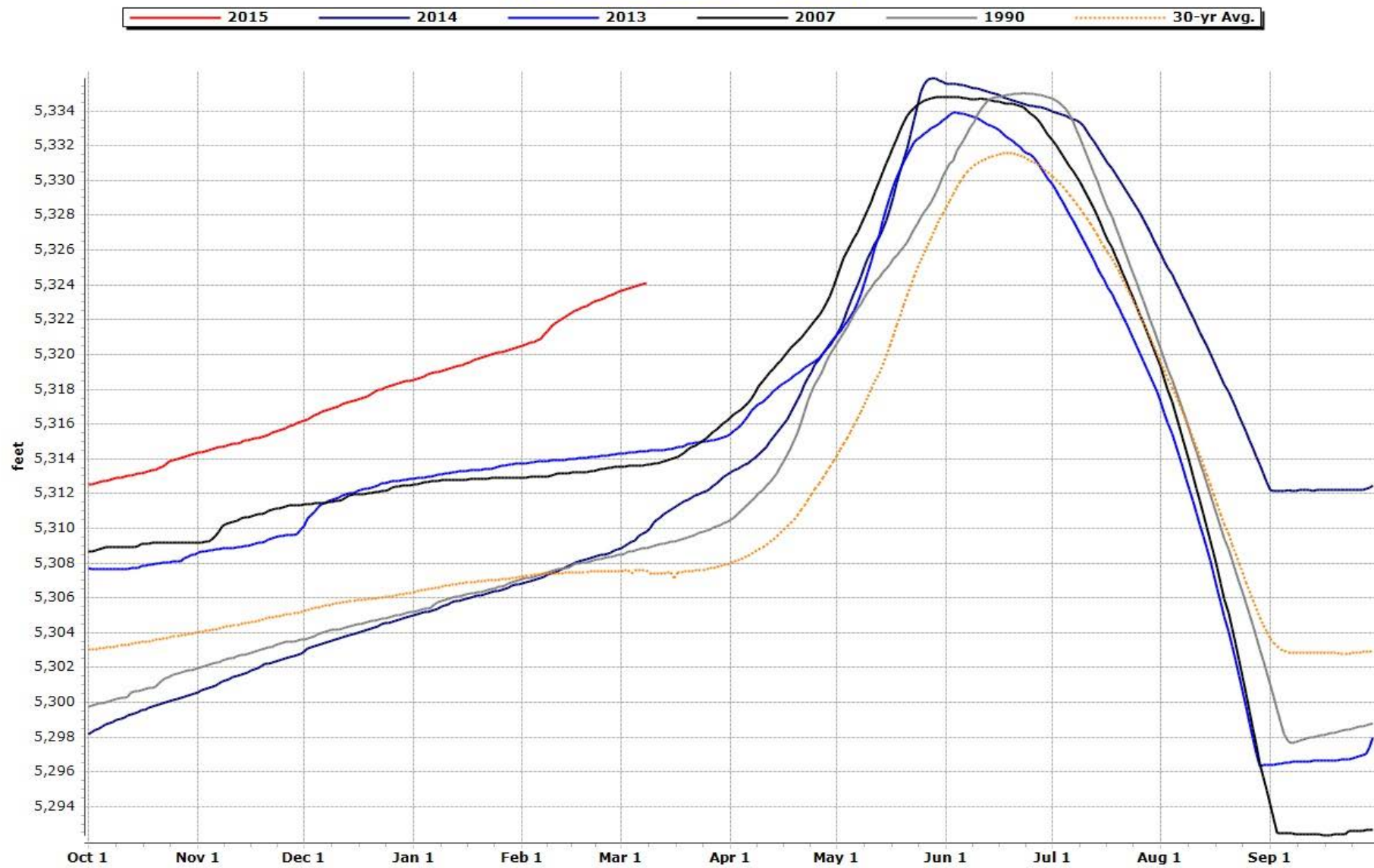
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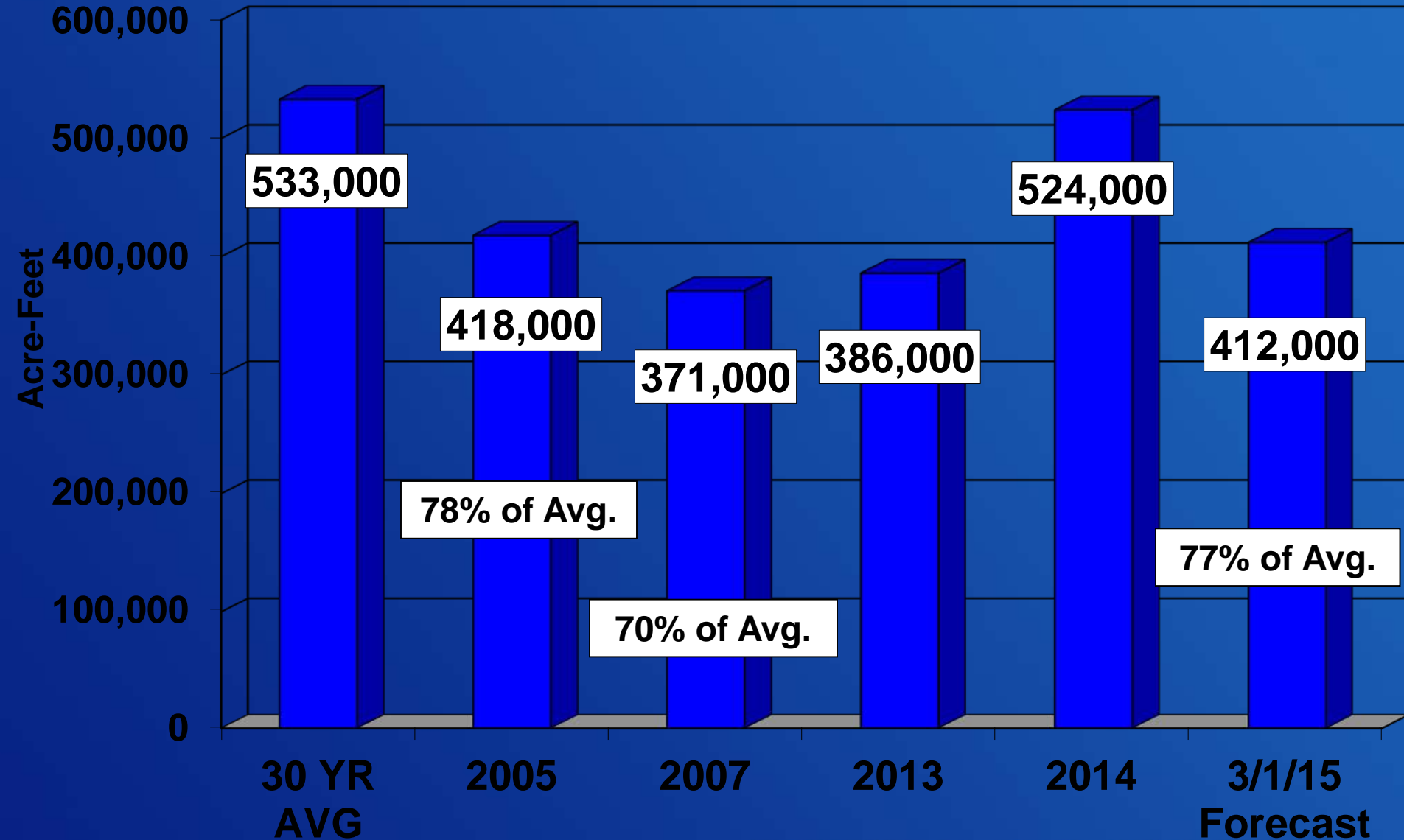
Deadwood Reservoir Elevation (spillway elevation = 5334')



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Cascade Reservoir Inflows

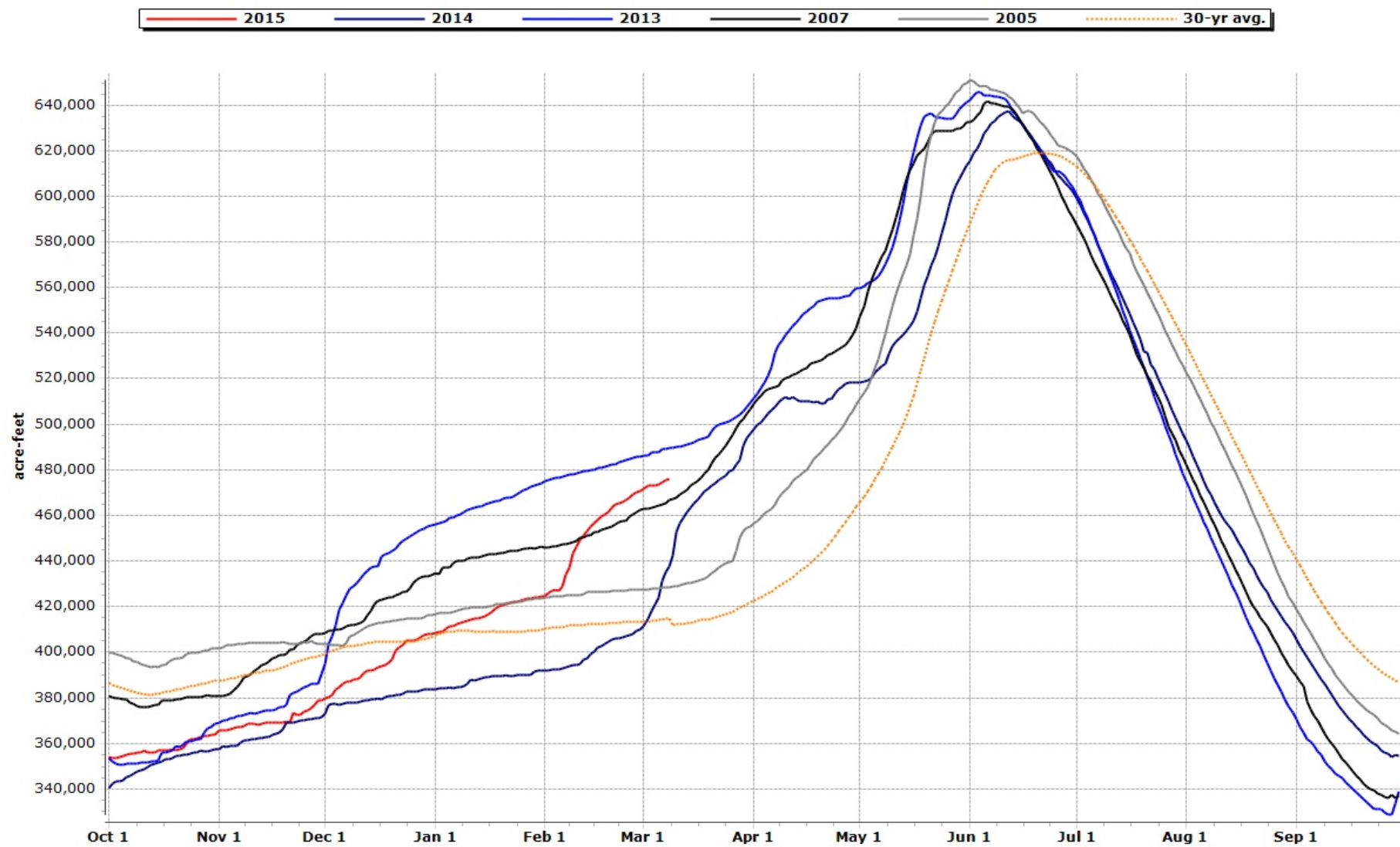
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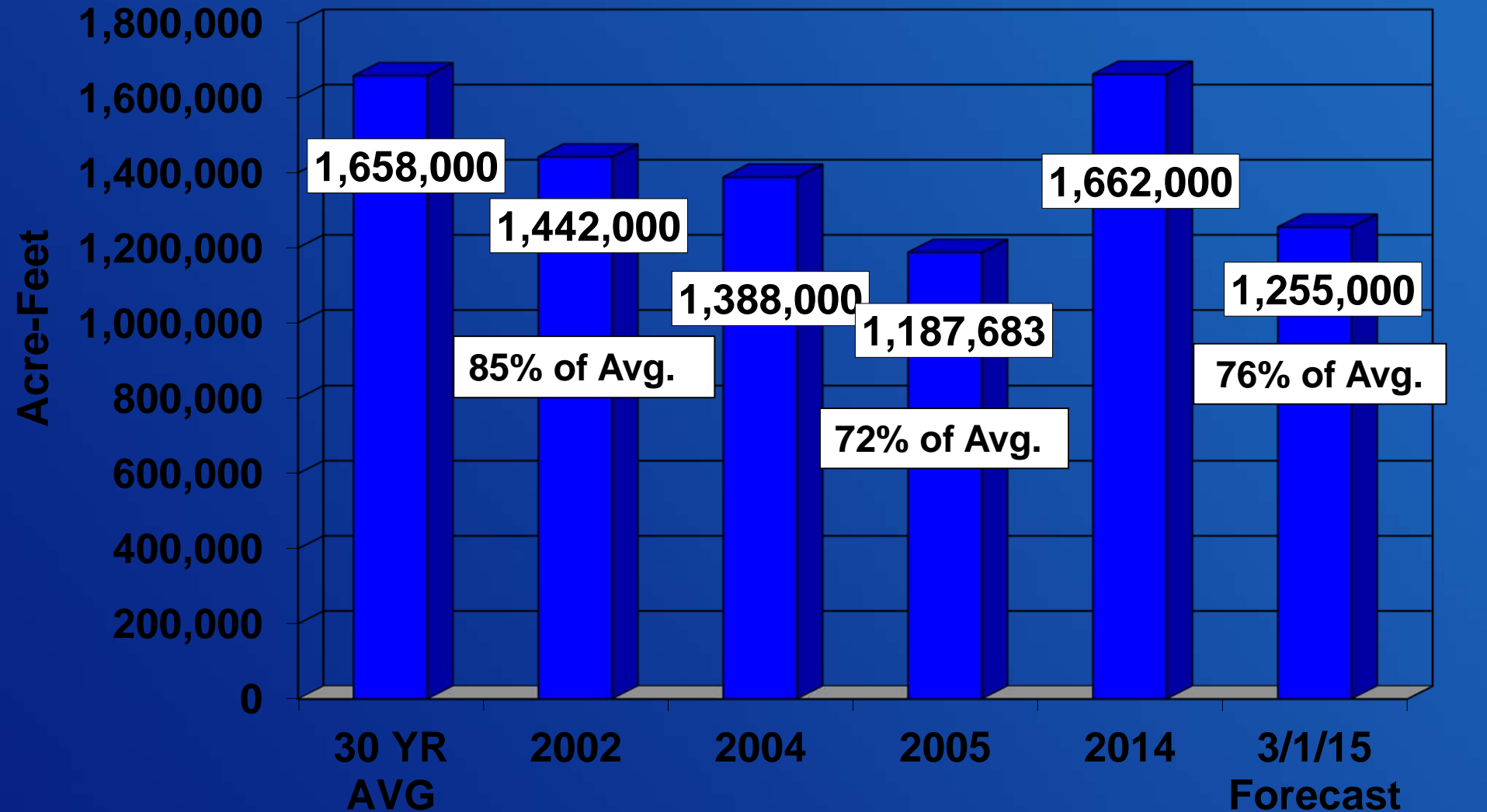
Cascade Reservoir Storage (capacity = 646,600 ac-ft)



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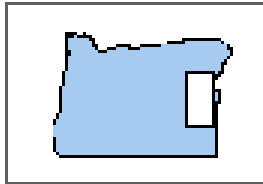
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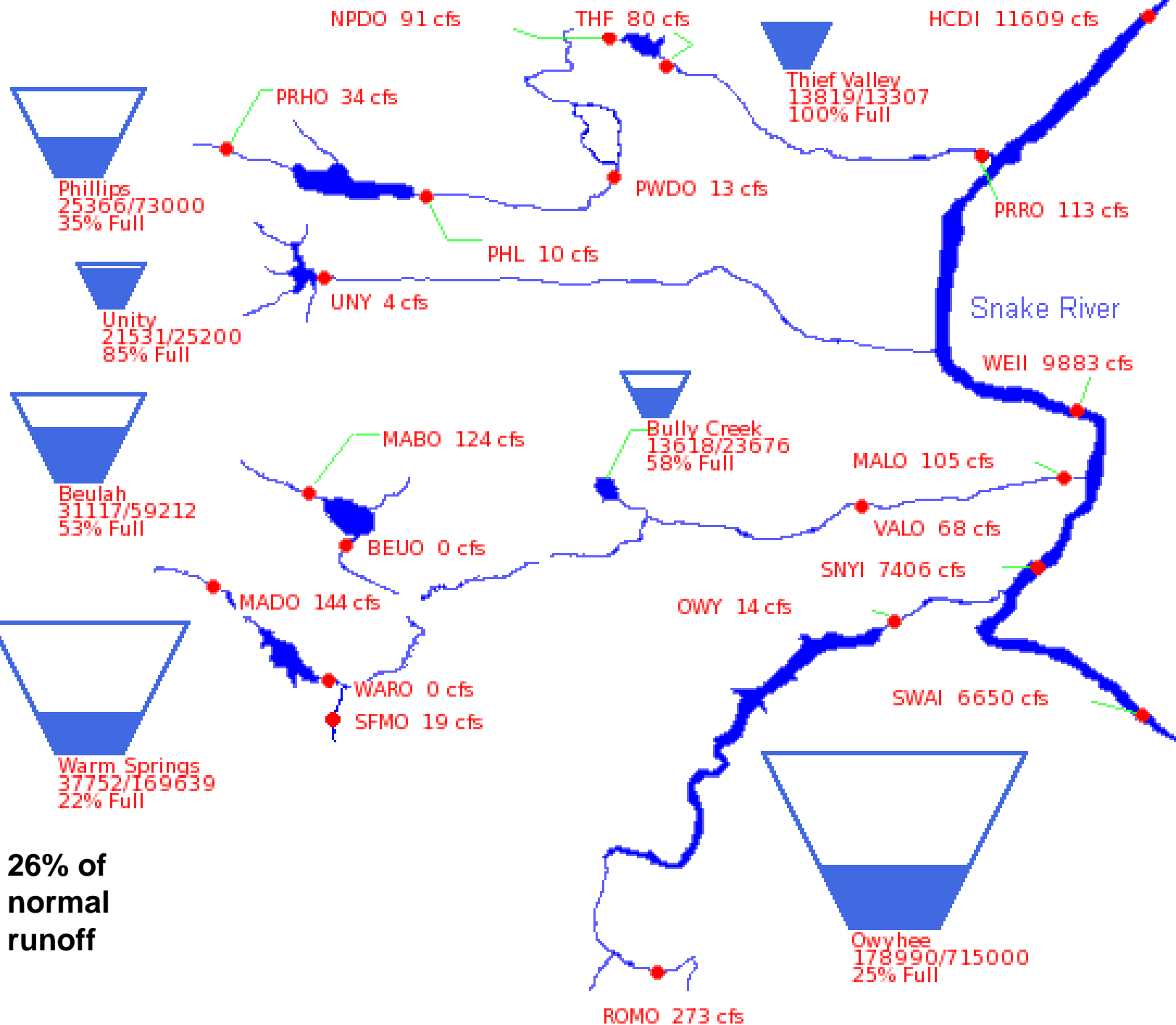
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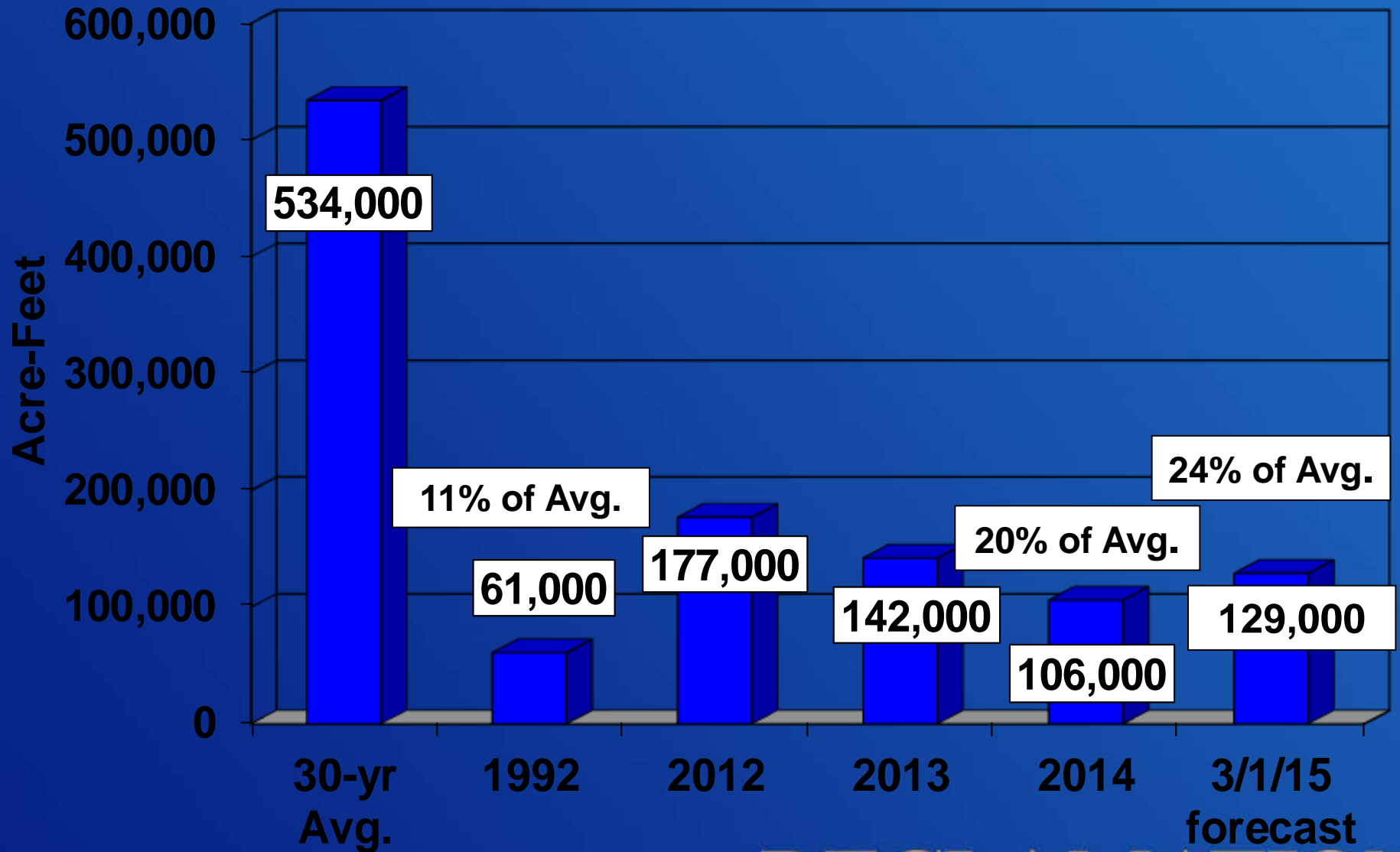
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runoff



26% of
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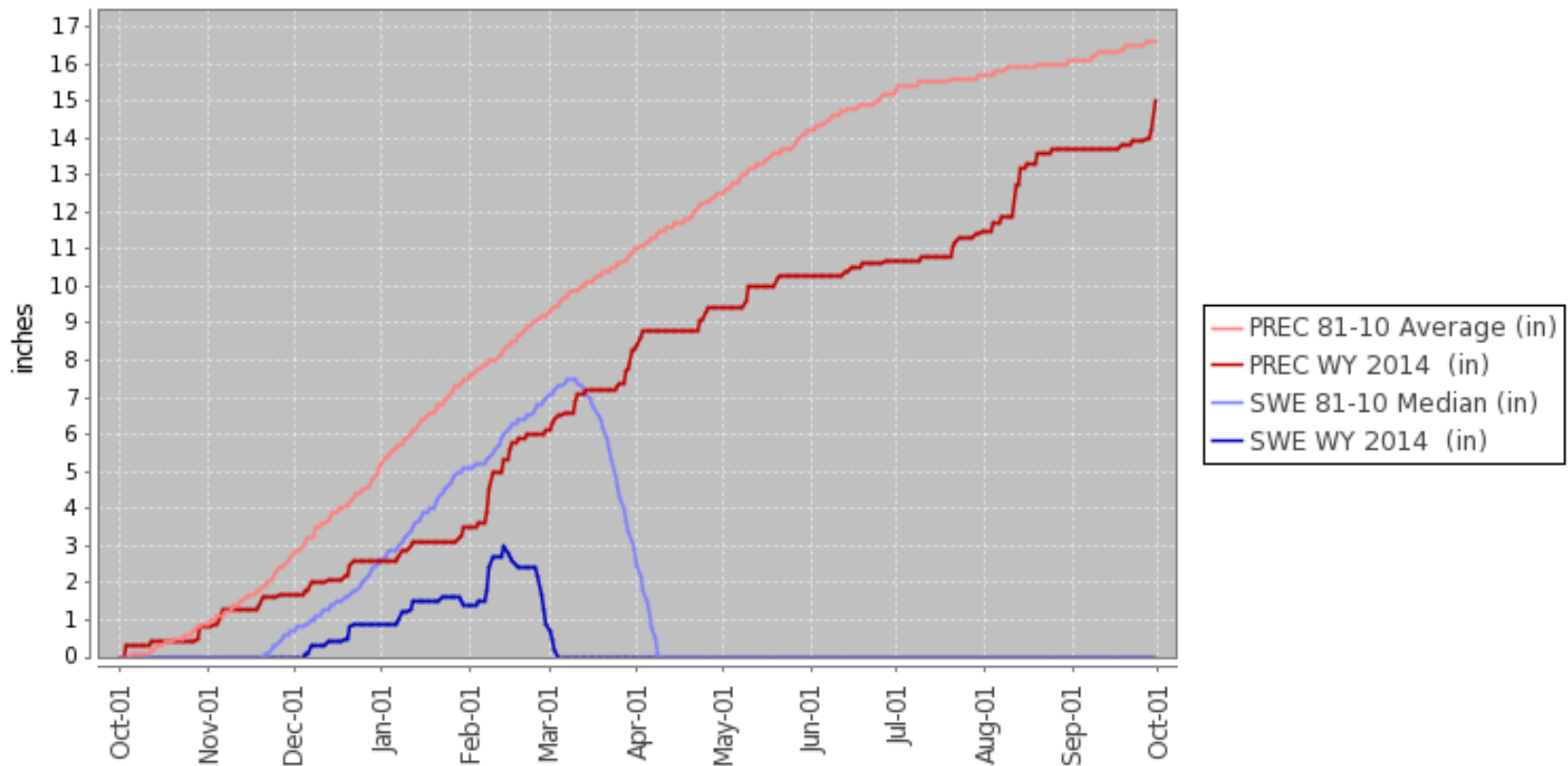
Owyhee Reservoir Inflows

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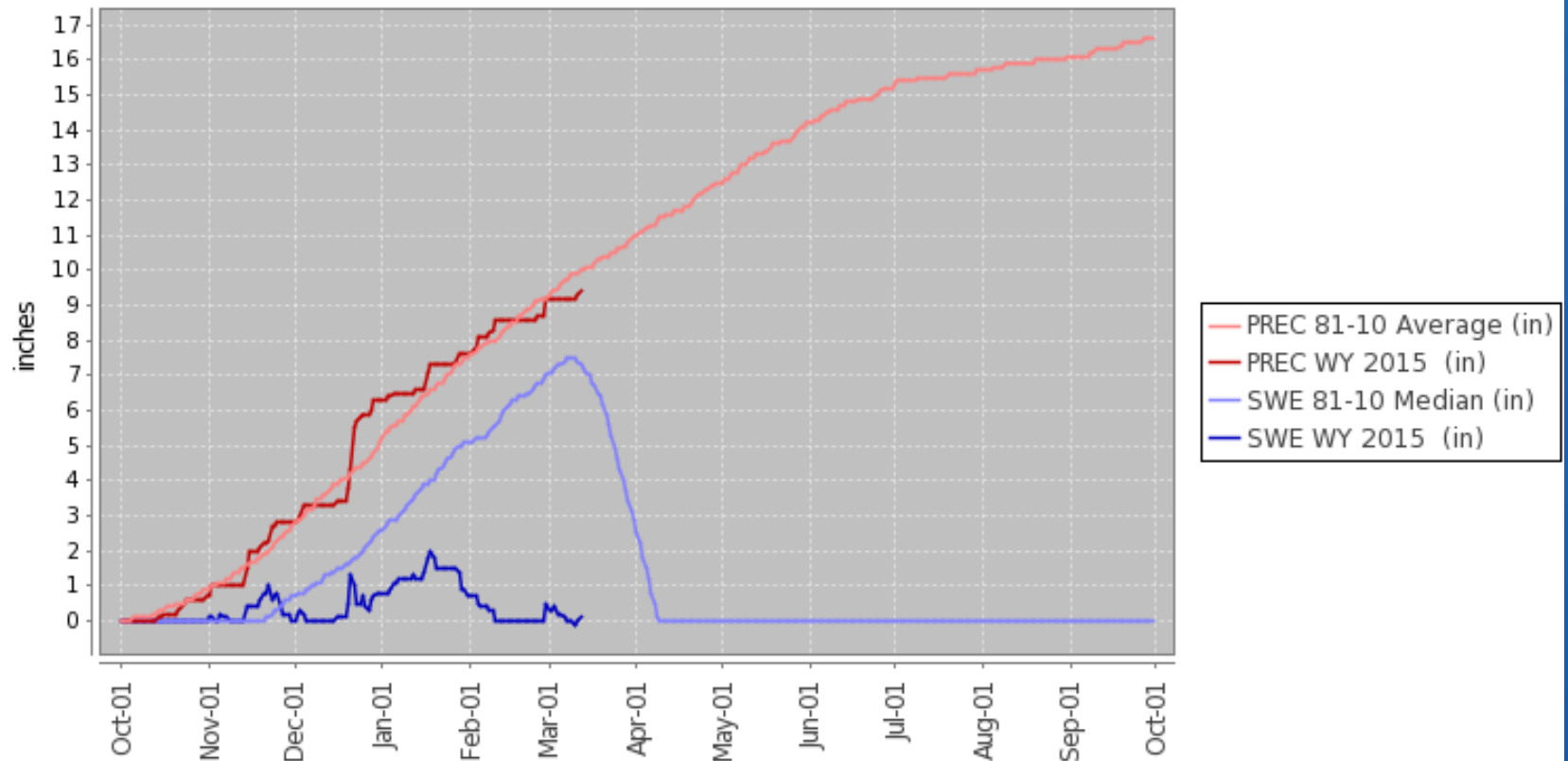
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Water year 2014

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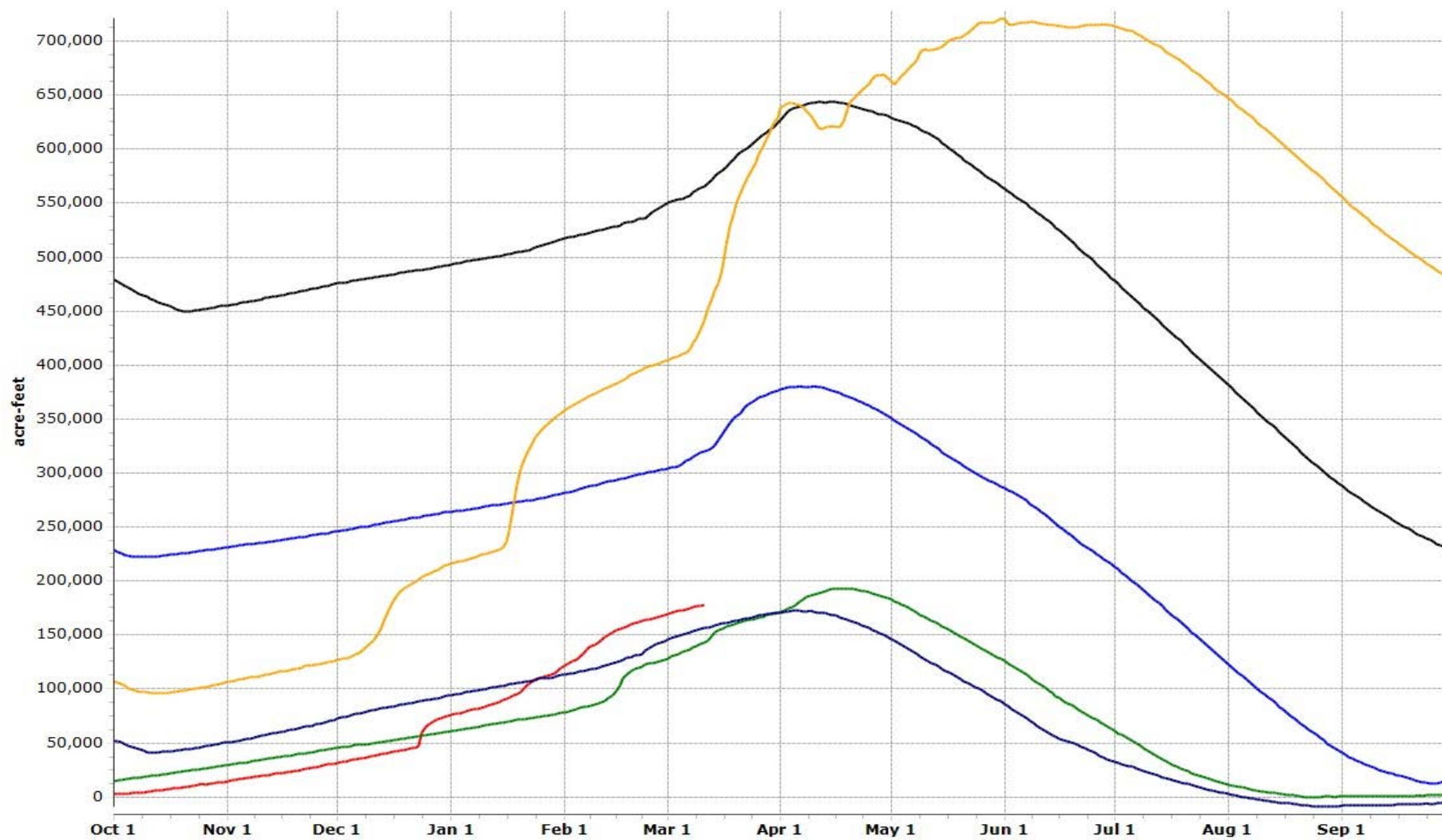


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Owyhee Reservoir Storage (capacity - 715,000 ac-ft)

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Actions planned for 2015 irrigation season

- Start Snake River pumped diversions early
- Delay start of water deliveries from Owyhee Reservoir (?)
- Reduced allotments for Owyhee River water –
1 to 2 ac-ft /acre
- No Owyhee River deliveries for lands with Snake & Owyhee River rights
- Permit water transfers within the districts



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